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#### What is GMIS?

Government Management Information Sciences (GMIS) is an organization consisting of government agencies at all levels of State, County, or Local government and Public Educational Institutions having a business responsibility for IT.

GMIS membership is comprised of government agencies, not individuals within these organizations. While member agencies differ in many aspects, it is a homogenous group with similar interests. Not to be confused with other groups, GMIS focuses solely on situations related to government information processing.

The purpose of GMIS is to provide a forum for the exchange of ideas, information, and techniques; to foster enhancements in hardware, software and communications as they relate to government activities. This is one of the reasons why GMIS was organized. All of us need help from time to time and GMIS fosters sharing among all levels of government involved in our vastly growing world of technology.

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# The Monthly IT Leadership Breakfast

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We need your support to make it a success!

#### Revival

GMIS announces the return of the very popular IT Managers' breakfast forum for IT Leaders in State & Local Government, and Public Educational Institutions. This forum offers educational presentations, the sharing of information on State and Local IT initiatives, and the opportunity to network on common problems and solutions with peer professionals.

With the almost universal move toward enterprise systems, improved connectivity between all levels of government, and the need to work smarter (not necessarily harder), this forum supports the very essence of the "Think globally, act locally" movement.

To encourage the unfettered attendance and participation of key IT decisionmakers in both Government and Education, these breakfast events will be hosted entirely by the Utah chapter of GMIS.

As a solutions provider to Government and Education, you have **two** unique opportunities to support the local Chapter of GMIS in this effort. Whether you provide an annual sponsorship of the GMIS Utah Chapter, or participate in a presentation, you will be helping to shape the future of effective collaborative government.

## 1) Sponsor GMIS-UT

### **\$ 500 per year**

Support local GMIS in providing a collaborative forum for Government and Education IT professionals. These forums promote information sharing and solutions awareness across all levels of government. Vendors sponsoring GMIS this way will have their logo featured on all breakfast invitations for the year and on the GMIS Utah Chapter web site. Renewal opportunities will be sent out to existing sponsors each November for the calendar year ahead.

# 2) Presentations

## \$ 1,500 + Presentation Costs

Perhaps you have a dynamic speaker you wish to sponsor or a presentation you would like to deliver yourself? The \$1,500 sponsorship amount helps GMIS pay for the breakfast. You will be responsible for the costs associated with your presenter and the presentation. Of course, you will be allowed a few minutes to introduce your company, location, market, and the kind of solutions you offer. A summary of this information should also be provided in written form in good time to be included in the invitation



for the event (the inside, right-hand panel of the invitation flyer is reserved for this purpose). Invitations are usually handed out at the preceding month's event.

In addition, presentation sponsors may feature their banner and sales literature at the venue.

The time available for presentations is 45 minutes, and they must be of an appropriate, applicable and educational nature (no product sales pitch).

All sponsorship opportunities are assigned on a "first come - first served" basis and bookings are confirmed on receipt of your payment to "GMIS - Utah Chapter".

Please call to find out when our next vacancy is. Be prepared to provide an overview of your planned presentation so it can be screened for content and applicability.

Please note: In past years, vendors experienced a waiting period of 9 months or more. Please sign up early and help us make Utah government and education IT the best that it can be!

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